HOUSE RESOLUTION 300 By Windle

A RESOLUTION to honor and commend Mr. Wayne Fair of Kingston for his meritorious service to the state of Tennessee.

WHEREAS, it is fitting that the elected representatives of the state of Tennessee should pause to pay tribute to those exemplary citizens who have given unselfishly of themselves, their time and their talents to perpetuate the public good; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Wayne Fair is one such remarkable public servant, a voice of integrity in Kingston and Roane County political circles; and

WHEREAS, born in Oak Ridge in 1942, Mr. Fair has served with acumen for the past eight years as an employee at Lockheed-Martin, where he is widely respected and admired by his peers; and

WHEREAS, prior to his work at Lockheed, Wayne was employed for 14 years at TVA's Watts Bar Nuclear Power Plant; and

WHEREAS, a carpenter since 1964, Wayne Fair has played an integral role in the Tennessee labor movement and has adroitly served as a political action coordinator for the Eastern Region of the Statewide Tennessee Carpenter's District Council; and

WHEREAS, his many important commitments aside, Wayne still found time to lend his immense talents to Ram Uppiluri's United States congressional campaign, and also assisted former congressman Jim Cooper's campaign; and

WHEREAS, a concerned person whose willingness to help those in need knows no bounds, Wayne is highly regarded as a professional and friend in Kingston and is as dependable and honest as the day is long; and

WHEREAS, recently diagnosed with cancer, Wayne Fair has confronted this battle with the same unbounded tenacity and resolve that is characteristic of the way he lives his life; and

WHEREAS, he is especially appreciative of the love and support he shares with his devoted wife, Betty, and their son, Michael; and

WHEREAS, Wayne Fair is the perfect example of a person totally committed to family and the highest ideals of public service and should be specially recognized; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE NINETY-NINTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, That we hereby honor and commend Mr. Wayne Fair for meritorious service to the citizens of Kingston and salute his commitment to equality for all Tennesseans.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That we offer Wayne our continued prayers and encouragement for a speedy recovery as he continues in his fight against cancer.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation to Mr. Fair with this final clause omitted from such copy.

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